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SUBJECT: CIVAIR: AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT WITH U.S.

REF: STATE 41301

1. IN NOTE RECEIVED AT EMBASSY ON FEBRUARY 28, MFA HAS INDICATED IT IS PREPARED TO SIGN AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT ON MARCH 2. EMBASSY HAS REQUESTED POSTPONEMENT OF SIGNING CEREMONY UNTIL TEXTS OF AGREEMENT AND NOTES HAVE BEEN COMPARED AND APPROVED BY BOTH PARTIES AND MFA HAS NOTIFIED EMBASSY IN NOTE WHETHER AGREEMENT IS EXECUTIVE AGREEMENT OR TREATY. PREVIOUSLY, ASSISTANT MINISTER FOR TRANSPORTATION CLYDE CAMPBELL HAD INFORMALLY INFORMED EMBASSY THAT AGREEMENT WOULD BE EXECUTIVE AGREEMENT IN CONFORMANCE WITH OUR PRACTICE.

2. WHILE INDICATING THAT GOL WILL SIGN AGREEMENT, GOL RECORDED ITS RESERVATION ON THREE POINTS IN THE AGREEMENT:

A. "WHERE THE U.S. HAS BEEN GIVEN UNLIMITED NUMBER OF POINTS IN AFRICA BEYOND LIBERIA, THE GOVERNMENT OF LIBERIA WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THIS RECIPROCATED FOR POINTS BEYOND THE U.S. NOT LIMITED TO CANDDA.

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B. "REGARDING CAPACITY, THE AGREEMENT GIVES UNRESTRICTED RIGHTS TO BRING ANY NUMBER OF FLIGHTS TO THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA. THE ABSENCE OF CONTROL IN THIS RESPECT COULD WORK HARDSHIP ON BOTH PARTIES.

C. "PARAGRAPH THREE OF ARTICLE THREE SHOULD BE AMENDED TO INCLUDE "THE INTEREST OF THE RESPECTIVE STATES""

GOL ALSO INDICATED IN NOTE THAT SINCE AGREEMENT CAN BE REVIEWED
UPON ONE YEAR'S NOTICE, IT "WOULD LIKE TO MAKE OUR POSITION
CLEAR AT THIS TIME ON THE POINTS MENTIONED ABOVE."
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